

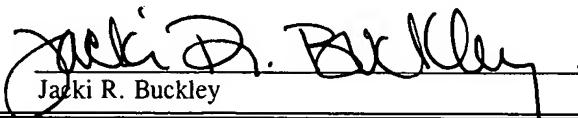


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Applicant : Craig John Simonds et al.
Appln. No. : 10/696,078
Filing Date : October 29, 2003
Confirmation No. : 5929
For : SYSTEM AND METHOD OF PROVIDING
ENVIRONMENTAL CONTEXT INFORMATION FOR
VEHICLE

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Dear Sir:

SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 CFR §1.97(b)

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed more than three months after the filing date of the above-referenced application but, to the undersigned's knowledge, before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits for the above-referenced application.

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Applicants further submit that an Office Action was mailed on August 27, 2004 in U.S. Application No. 10/696,692 and an Office Action was mailed on September 9, 2004 in U.S. Application No. 10/696,597 in which the claims were rejected based on certain patent application publications submitted herewith. Copies of the aforementioned Office Actions are submitted herewith.

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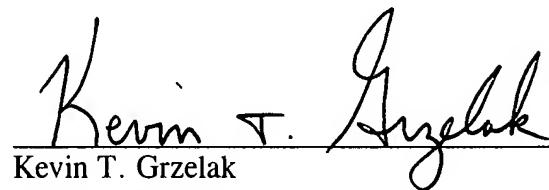
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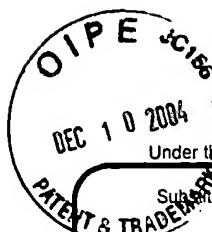
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